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**Subject:** RE: State Compliance Meeting w/ EPA - PA DEP - Thursday, July 12, 1 - 4 pm - PLEASE CONFIRM

Good Morning –

Unfortunately, the afternoon of July 10 will not work for DEP as we have a Phase 3 WIP Steering Committee Meeting, which involves a large number of external folks attending the meeting.

My apologies this date does not work for us.

Heather

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Ok, let's try one more date. Our RA will be in Harrisburg the morning of July 10<sup>th</sup> for a meeting at PADEP. Would you all be available to meet in the afternoon in Harrisburg? Please let us know.

Thanks, Rhonda

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Hello PA Secretaries and Directors, Please confirm at your earliest convenience if you would be available to meet on July 12<sup>th</sup> at 1 - 4 pm at the Harrisburg PADEP office or Philadelphia EPA office. PADEP and EPA are confirmed.

Thank You, Rhonda

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**Subject:** State Compliance Meeting w/ EPA

Colleagues,

I will be scheduling a state enforcement coordination meeting with each state and your respective enforcement leadership team(s) in July or August. I hope to visit each state in that timeframe to discuss our joint compliance assurance responsibilities and the principles of Cooperative Federalism which are intended to foster collaborative partnerships between EPA and States. I look forward to working with you in developing the specifics of the agenda for this meeting. In preparation for our discussions, I have my staff gathering EPA Region III's current and planned compliance assurance activities including inspections, planned enforcement, EPA activities pursuant to the National Enforcement Initiatives, and findings and recommendations from the most recent State Review Framework.

In addition, I would like to discuss the effectiveness of our current communication protocol regarding compliance and enforcement, environmental priorities in each program, and what, if any, additional assistance EPA can provide.

Please have your staff forward agenda items to Samantha Beers, Director of the Office of Enforcement, Compliance and Environmental Justice. Ms. Beers can be reached at (215) 814-2627 or [Beers.Samantha@epa.gov](mailto:Beers.Samantha@epa.gov).

My assistant will reach out to you shortly with proposed dates.

Thanks,

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## Draft Agenda Region 3 RA / State Secretary Enforcement Coordination Meeting

### Introductions

**RA Opening Remarks** - RA prospective on Agency goals & State relations.

**State Secretary Opening Remarks**

### Discussion on Cooperative Federalism

*Interim OECA Guidance on Enhancing Regional-State Planning and Communication on Compliance Assurance Work in Authorized States* to compliance assurance leadership within EPA. Expectations of cooperative federalism and compliance with the law in all compliance assurance interactions with State Agencies. ECOS-EPA Workgroup on State & Federal Collaboration. Identification of successes, barriers and methods to address them.

**State Topics**

Discuss & share information on environmental issues, compliance problems training or equipment needs.

Compliance Assurance Priorities of the State other identified State concerns

**EPA Topics Regional Lead Geographic Initiative,** General emerging guidance, enforcement priorities in the state, significant findings in recent State Review Framework, , communications

**Closing remarks**

Follow up items, Future meetings (Frequency – Format)

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